

Armour Engineering Journal

THE appearance of the Armour Engineering Journal with the first of the year is an occasion to be remembered, as it marks the culmination of the hopes and plans entertained by the founders of the Technical Society. It is extremely fitting that the first number of such a journal should appear at the close of the first decade in the History of the College of Engineering. It marks a period in the growth and development of such an Institution as ours, and is an achievement of which the students and faculty may well be proud.

With the increasing facilities for individual research work, offered by our newly equipped shops and laboratories, the College of Engineering is entering upon a new era in its development. It is coming to occupy its true position as a center of Technical knowledge, in all that the term applies. Technical education, itself; is on the upward trend as never before, but withal, the College of Engineering is rapidly forging to the front. A clear mountain lake, fed by sparkling springs and babbling brooks, becomes rancid of taste and evil of smell unless it have an outlet. And so it is in our College communities. No matter how much good may accrue from lecture hall or laboratory, it stales without the proper outlet. This outlet is provided through the press, and the press is represented best by an Engineering Journal peculiar to our interests, and having its home within our gates. The energy displayed by the promoters of the Journal is to be commended. It fills a long felt want, and comes to occupy a place deserving its best efforts.